### Upcoming City Council Agenda Items October 7, 2014

### 6:00 p.m. Workshop Meeting:

<u>Budget Reviews</u> for City
 Council, City Manager (including
 Human Resources, City Clerk,
 Economic Development & Risk
 Management) and for Planning
 & Development Services
 departments

### 7:00 p.m. Regular Meeting:

- <u>Public Hearing</u> for proposed
   Ordinance 2269 to prohibit state licensed recreational marijuana land uses
- <u>Action</u> for contract for construction of City Hall Remodel project
- Action for Resolution regarding indigent public defense standards
- <u>Action</u> to approve options for use of residence at 2000 Ludwig Rd.
- Action to approve roof repair at 2000 Ludwig Rd.
- <u>Discussion</u> regarding utility rate forecast

The agenda list above is partial and tentative. For further information, click here for the City website: http://www.snohomishwa.gov/Agenda Center/City-Council-Agendas-1

### SECOND STREET CLOSURES EXTENDED DUE TO WEATHER

Due to weather conditions, the Second Street overlay from Avenue D to Avenue H has been delayed. Second Street from Avenue D to Avenue H will continue to be closed through the week of September 29<sup>th</sup> to complete the pavement overlay. Depending on weather conditions, it is anticipated that the paving will occur early next week. Expect traffic detours and delays in the area.

The closing of Second Street was organized around the goal of minimizing the cumulative amount of traffic impacts. Reader boards announcing the closure dates are placed at various locations along Second Street and Avenue D. A detour route through First and Fourth Streets via Avenue C will be set up, and directional signage will be provided during the most impactful construction phase.

A pavement overlay is important maintenance that saves all of us money by avoiding costly re-construction of the road in the future. This project is being funded by a state Transportation Improvement Board grant awarded to the City (\$297,500) and our local Transportation Benefit District (TBD) funds (\$52,500).

Please contact Andrew Sics (360-282-3174) or Tim Cross (360-282-3193) if you have any questions or concerns regarding these projects.

## FIRST STREET CLOSURE FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2014

On Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>, the Snohomish Chamber Classic Car and Hot Rod Display will take place from 10:00am – 4:00pm. Expect heavy traffic during this time in the downtown area, especially on Second Street. Most of the streets from Avenue D to Maple Avenue between First Street and Second Street, and all of First Street from Avenue D to Maple Avenue, will be closed to traffic from 4:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. to allow time for set-up and clean-up.

You are invited to walk downtown on Sunday to view nearly 600 cars. ADA designated spaces will be located at Snohomish City Hall, 116 Union.



# **DEA National Prescription Drug Take-Back September 27, 2014 – 8 AM – 12 PM**

The National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day aims to provide a safe, secure, and environmentally responsible means of disposing of prescription drugs, while also educating the general public about the potential for abuse and trafficking of medications. This is important because the nonmedical use of controlled substance (CS) medications is at an all-time high, with 6.8 million Americans reporting having abused prescription drugs in 2012, according to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's National Survey on Drug Use and Health (NSDUH) released in 2013. That same study revealed more than 54 percent of people who abuse prescription pain relievers got them through friends or relatives, a statistic that includes raiding the family medicine cabinet.

Take-Back Days are presently needed because the Controlled Substances Act (CSA) as originally written did not provide a way for patients, caregivers, and pet owners to safely dispose of such CS medications as painkillers, sedatives, and stimulants like ADHD drugs. People were flushing their old meds down the toilet or throwing them in the trash.

The Snohomish Police Department will once again be participating in the DEA National Prescription Drug Take-Back event on **Saturday, September 27, 2014**. Residents of the City of Snohomish, and the surrounding community, are welcome to come by the police department between **8 AM and 12 Noon** to drop off any unwanted prescription drugs. In addition to this special event, residents of the Snohomish area are able to stop by the Snohomish Police Department Monday through Friday between the hours of 9 AM and 5 PM to drop off any unwanted prescription drugs all year long.

Chief John Flood reports that the Snohomish Police Department has offered this free service since 2010

with the following amounts of unwanted prescription drugs properly removed from the Snohomish community:

2010 174 pounds

2011 185 pounds

2012 272 pounds

2013 286 pounds

2014 247 pounds as of September 17, 2014.

#### The following items are accepted:

- EpiPens (Unopened)
- Inhalers, Medicated ointments / lotions (prescription and over-the-counter)
- Medication samples
- Medications for pets, Narcotics (OxyContin, Vicodin, etc.)
- Over-the-counter medication
- Prescribed medication
- Vitamins

#### The following items are not accepted:

- Aerosol cans
- Business waste (For more information, visit Dept. of Ecology)
- Empty containers
- EpiPens Used (For more information, visit Take Back Your Meds)
- Hydrogen peroxide / other chemicals
- Iodine solutions (Betadine, etc.)
- IV bags or bloody / infectious waste
- Mercury products (Mercurochrome, thimerosal, etc.)
- Needles / syringes
- Personal care products (Toothpaste, nonmedicated shampoo, medical items, etc.)
- Radioactive materials
- Thermometers

### **Lodging Tax Grant Applications due September 30, 2014**

Don't forget that the applications for funding from the lodging tax are due on September 30, 2014 by 4:00pm. The funding is for non-profits that have projects in 2015 that will create overnight stays in our lodging facilities. The total funds available will be \$6,000. Detailed instructions and an online application can be found on the City's website at <a href="http://snohomishwa.gov/445/HotelMotel-Grant-Application">http://snohomishwa.gov/445/HotelMotel-Grant-Application</a>.

2014 Calendar:

Planning Commission Meeting
Wednesday, October 1
6:00 p.m.
Gilbertson Board Room